

PATENT APPLICATION

I THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Confirmation No.: 1605

Tadahiro OHMI et al.

Group Art Unit: 1763

Application No.: 09/864,376

Examiner: Rudy ZERVIGON

Filed: May 25, 2001

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For:

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METHOD

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: October 11, 2007

Sir:

Applicants' petition for an extension of time for one month for response to the outstanding Notice of Panel Decision From Pre-Appeal Review dated August 3, 2007. Applicants' Notice of Appeal was timely filed on July 11, 2007 and therefore the extension term is from September 11, 2007 to October 11, 2007.

Please find attached a check in the amount of \$120 to cover the fee discussed above. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referencing our Docket Number 107176-00007.

Respectfully submitted,

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